

Community News


Te Kuiti BMX Club Every Tuesday from 6th September. Lot's of fun for the whole family to have a go at. Check in Time 5.45-6.00 pm racing starts at 6.15 pm. Riders must wear long pants and shirt with gloves and full faced helmet. First 3 nights are free for beginners!!! Bring your own bike as there is limited Hire Bikes and Gear available at \$2.00 per bike or helmet/gloves. For more information contact Brenda Grainer 878 7685 or Kylie Lupton 07 873 6911.

GO, GROW, GLOW!

Next time you make your lunch, check to see if it contains something to help you GO, GROW and GLOW!


GO

with a sandwich




GLOW


with a couple of pieces of fruit or some carrot sticks



GROW

with a pottle of yoghurt, a boiled egg, a handful of nuts or some ham, tuna or cheese on your sandwich

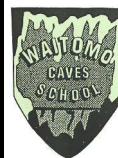




What's Coming Up At Waitomo Caves School

9 September	Waikato Percussion Festival
12 September	Riverdale Alpaca Kowhai visit
14 September	Waikato Cross Country Race
14 September	BOT Meeting
20 September	Parent Meeting
21 September	Seniors COP's Athletics
22 September	Welsh Rugby Team Visit
4 October	Kowhai class excursion
6 October	Pet Day Prep – half day
7 October	Pet Day, Cake Auction, Hangi
7 October	Last day of Term 3
Tuesday 25 October	Term 4 begins

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Newsletter

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Whaia te ara totika – Make the Right Choice

Term Three 2011

Week Five – 2 September

Dear Parents and Friends of the School

Tena Koutou Katoa

COP's Cross Country

Congratulations to all COP's Cross Country runners last week. We had several children register the day before and well done to you for giving it a good go. Fantastic work Year 1 & 2 girls Siân 6th, Maddison 20th, Year 0 & 2 boys Thomas 16th, Reuben 20th, Seth 22nd, Year 3 & 4 girls Keely 18th, Arleyah 26th, Year 3 & 4 boys John 25th, Elijah 26th, Year 5 & 6 girls Jessie 23rd, Arahia 27th, Year 5 & 6 Blaze 23rd, Te Hurinui 24th, Year 7 & 8 boys Logan 7th, Ratapu 20th, Bailey 25th.

Alex was unable to run due to illness however he is eligible to race in the Waikato Full Primary Schools race in September all the best Alex.

Thank you to the fundraising team who worked flat out to keep everyone stocked up with lots of yummy food and drinks. Special thanks to Paki for patrolling the traffic to safe parking areas. Thank you to the HTG hut committee for allowing us to use the kitchen and toilet facilities. Also special thanks to Bill Johnston for making available the paddocks so we could provide what is now commonly known as the best cross country course in the Otorohanga/Waitomo District. Awesome!!



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Accident/Sick Children

From time to time children, unfortunately, sustain injuries in the course of their play. Minor injuries are treated and the child usually returns to class when it is certain there are no ill effects. When it is felt advisable, parents are contacted and requested to collect the child. This would be in the case of more serious injuries, when perhaps a visit to a medical centre may be advised or when the child is obviously unwell through sickness and should be at home. The school's policy is to contact parents and advise of any minor injuries sustained by form of notice. Sometimes this is done by phoning home as well.

If parents are unavailable the EMERGENCY CONTACT PERSON will be notified. Where no one can be contacted, the school will take all reasonable care of the child at school and contact a doctor if necessary. Medication is not given unless requested in writing by the parents. (Parents must supply any medication given.) Disprin or Panadol is available at school, but parent approval would be sought before this was dispensed. An updated list is kept of allergy sufferers so please notify the school if your child suffers from any allergies that may have developed in the past four months.

Lunches

We have been working on a new lunch ordering system. We hope the recently sent home lunch lists have been helpful when choosing food options. Children can also select an ordering list from school to fill out in the mornings. Please be advised that school lunches will not be available on Thursday's.

Weaving

The seniors have been working on different projects with weaving looms. The juniors are ready to go after weaving in a variety of ways.



MUSIC EDUCATION WAIKATO

Presents



The Inaugural Waikato Schools Marimba & Tuned Percussion Festival

FEATURING BANDS FROM:

HILLCREST PRIMARY

OTOROHANGA / WAITOMO

FOREST LAKE

OHINEWAI

NGATEA

GLENVIEW PRIMARY

ST PAUL'S COLLEGIATE

CAMBRIDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL



FRIDAY 9TH SEPTEMBER 2011, 4PM

@ ST PAUL'S COLLEGIATE, HUKANUI ROAD, HAMILTON

Blaze, Angel, Te Hurinui, Tiana, Ratapu, Alex, Bailey, Leah, Tai, Roimata, Logan, Jacob and Portia are all involved in this festival and will need to have their permission slips returned to school by Tuesday.